

No. 17.

## CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,  
BANGALORE, HELD ON MONDAY THE 16TH FEBRUARY 1925 AT 5 P.M., IN THE  
COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Present 19. | Absent 10.

Vacant 1.

Mr. M. L. Narasimhaengar, B.A., B.E., Assistant Engineer, Bangalore City Distribution, was present by special invitation. A few of the rate-payers of the II and III Divisions were also present at the meeting to represent their grievances about the insufficiency of water supply in their localities.

The President delivered an impressive speech in Kannarese, explaining to the rate payers present at the meeting the present difficult situation on account of water in the City, that the only way in which it could be improved was by duplicating the main from the pumping Station to the Jewell Filters that the Council have unanimously recognised the immediate need of duplicating the main, that the only question now for the consideration of the Council was to find out ways and means for meeting the expenditure required therefor, that the normal income of the Municipality was hardly sufficient to meet the ordinary expenditure of the Municipality and that there was no other course than raising a loan of Rs. 10 lakhs to meet this extraordinary expenditure and in furtherance of this view, proposed the following propositions and hoped the Council would unanimously approve of them.

1. Resolved that the proposals of Government communicated to the Municipal Council in their letter No. 6030, dated 4th February 1925 in regard to improving the arrangements now existing in connection with the Chamarajendra Water Works, Bangalore City, be generally accepted and the Council agree to finance it by raising a loan not exceeding rupees ten lakhs and providing interest and Sinking Fund charges therefor from the enhanced water and toll taxes and the additional water tax which might be levied on further extensions of the distribution system in the City.

2. Resolved further that the loan of rupees ten lakhs be made to run the period of thirty years from the date of its raising and that the interest payable on it be fixed at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent per annum.

3. Resolved also that Government be requested to arrange for a loan not exceeding ten lakhs as required by the Council for meeting the cost of the proposed improvements.

4. Resolved further that the Government be requested in view of the Council agreeing to their proposals and meeting the whole of the capital charges now required for the improvements suggested to agree to the loan period being fixed at thirty years as aforesaid and the rate of interest to be charged by them at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent per annum.

5. Resolved also that Government be requested to allow the Council to adopt the usual mode of repayment of loans of this nature by means of a Sinking Fund, the payment being annual and into a Bank approved by the Government and the Council. The details as to the amount to be paid, the date of payment and the like are to be agreed to between the Government and the Council after the scheme now proposed is approved by Government and the same made known to the Council.

6. Resolved further that the rate of water tax now charged be raised from 8 per cent to 6 per cent per annum from 1st July 1925 to meet the Sinking Fund and interest charges to be incurred on the proposed loan of rupees ten lakhs, the necessary preliminary steps as required by Section 60 being taken by the Council in this behalf.

7. Resolved further that the toll on vehicles and animals entering the City Municipal limits be doubled from 1st July 1925 to meet the Sinking Fund and interest charges aforesaid, the necessary preliminary steps being taken by the Council in this behalf as per Section 60 of the Mysore Municipal Regulation.

8. Resolved also that Government be requested to arrange for the loan proposed above at as early a date as may be possible so that the improvements may be completed without avoidable delay.

9. Resolved also that in view of the letter of the Chief Engineer to the Government of Mysore No. R. 3894, dated 16th October 1923, enclosing his estimates for reduplication of the main and urging the carrying out of this item of work as a matter of extreme necessity, Government be requested to direct this part of the work being put in hand at once.

10. Resolved further that the Government be requested to hand over the entire works to the Council after completing in full the improvements so that the control over the same may vest entirely in the Council at a date not later than 1st July 1926.

Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao seconded the propositions, reserving the right to speak later on. Mr. G. Paramasiviah supported it. Mr. Belur Srinivasaengar also spoke on the urgent necessity of improving the situation and said that he consulted the rate payers of his division and that though they at first hesitated to pay increased water rate, they later on agreed to it.

having regard to the immense facilities which they would enjoy when an abundant supply of water was made available and that as regards the propositions moved from the chair he was of opinion that they should be taken up separately for consideration and put to vote, Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao, while fully recognising the necessity of raising the main and of finding out ways and means of meeting the cost, suggested that the Council should go into a Committee to consider in detail the various aspects of the question. Mr. P. Subbarama Chetty agreed with Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao. Mr. B. L. Byanna said that it was not desirable to increase the taxes and that he would propose that Government may be requested to extend their kind patronage of meeting the maintenance charges from the State Funds for a couple of years to come. Mr. C. K. Hutchappa said that immediate action must be taken for meeting the required expenditure. Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa opposed the idea of raising a loan. Mr. G. Siddaveerappa felt the necessity of raising a loan and suggested that Government should be requested to meet half the expenses on this account. Mr. V. A. Krishnamurti Mudaliar recognised the necessity of raising a loan but said that the question of increasing the water tax should be considered only after tapping other sources of income.

Mr. M. L. Narasimhiengar, Assistant Engineer, explained the necessity of tackling the question immediately and said that if it should be postponed, Bangalore City might have to face a most difficult situation as they might not get water some five or six months afterwards. Mr. D. Venkataraniiah then proposed the following amendment in the first proposition moved from the Chair.

That the words "from the enhanced water and toll taxes, etc." to the end of the sentence be omitted. This was seconded by Mr. V. A. Krishnamurti Mudaliar. The President accepted the amendment, which accordingly became the main proposition and read thus:—

I "Resolved that the proposals of Government communicated in the Municipal Council in their letter No. 6030—P. P. 30-24-10, dated 4th February 1925, in regard to improving the arrangements now existing in connection with the Chamarajendra Water Works, Bangalore City, be generally accepted and the Council agree to finance it by raising a loan not exceeding rupees ten lakhs and providing interest and Sinking Fund charges therefor."

This proposition was put to vote and was carried. Fifteen voting "for" and 3 "against" it.

Messrs. B. L. Byanna and W. H. Hanumanthappa demanded a poll. The following fifteen Councillors voted for the proposition:—1. The President, 2. Mr. G. Muniappa, 3. Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar, 4. Mr. C. K. Hutchappa, 5. Mr. S. N. M. Razvi, 6. Mr. G. Paramasiviah, 7. Mr. G. Siddaveerappa, 8. Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar, 9. Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao, 10. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, 11. Mr. P. Subbarama Chetty, 12. Mr. P. M. Basappa, 13. Mr. D. Venkataraniiah, 14. Mr. V. A. Krishnamurthi Mudaliar, and 15. Mr. C. Chiknanjundappa.

The following voted against:—

1. Mr. B. L. Byanna, 2. Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa, and 3. Mr. S. Venkataranga Iyengar.

II. The following proposition was then proposed by Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao and seconded by Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar and was carried unanimously.

"Resolved further that the above resolution be referred to a Special Committee of the Municipal Council consisting of the following members, who shall report to the Council within eight days from this date on the following points:—

- (1) The mode of raising the said loan;
- (2) The rate of interest to be paid on it and the period for which it should be obtained;
- (3) The mode of repayment of the said loan;
- (4) The ways and means for meeting the Sinking Fund and interest charges on the said loan including any grant from Government in this behalf;
- (5) The date from which any proposed taxes should be levied;
- (6) The Special Committee to have power to make such other proposals which they might deem essential for giving effect to the above resolution.

The Special Committee was composed of the following nine members:—

- (1) The President, (2) Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, (3) Mr. S. Venkatarangaiengar, (4) Mr. B. L. Byanna, (5) Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar, (6) Mr. P. Subbarama Chetty, (7) Mr. G. Siddaveerappa, (8) Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao and (9) The Municipal Commissioner.

## No. 16.

PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE,  
HELD ON SATURDAY THE 14TH FEBRUARY 1925 AT 8 A.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER

Members.			
Present	...	23	Absent
Vacant—One.			
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Mr. John Bhole, Chief Engineer, was present by special invitation.

The following Government Orders were placed before the Council for consideration.

1. Government Order No. L. 5242-46—M. 131-24-3, dated 22nd January 1925 directing that the maintenance charges of water-supply to the two City Municipalities be borne from State Funds in the current year and that the two Municipal Councils should bear the whole charges from 1st July 1925 and calling for the view of the Municipal Council, Bangalore City, on the Chief Engineer's recommendation regarding the additional income of Rs. 1,32,000 required to meet the full maintenance charges of the water-supply.

2. Letter No. G. 6030—P. P. 30-24-10, dated 4th February 1925, from the Chief Secretary to Government requesting the views of the Municipal Council regarding the improvements necessary to be made in the existing system of water-supply and how they propose to finance the scheme, which is likely to cost 10 to 12 lakhs, so far as the City is concerned.

1. At the very outset, Mr. S. Venkatarangaiengar said that the people were still suffering from the effects of the great European War, that the prices of food stuffs had not gone down and that during the next two years—Krodhana and Akshaya—the conditions might be still worse and added that the Government should be requested to continue to keep the control of the water-supply under them.

2. The President in a long and forcible speech explained that during his recent inspections in the several parts of the City he had received numerous complaints of insufficiency of the existing water-supply, that the sight of women and children scrambling together in the hot sun near the public fountains for long hours to get a pot of water was very pitiful, that the Government had been repeatedly reminding the Council of its primary duty in that direction, and that the time had now arrived when the situation must be tackled in right earnest, without further loss of time and requested the Chief Engineer to kindly explain to the Council the causes that had led to the present difficult situation and what course he would suggest for adoption to overcome it.

3. Mr. John Bhole, the Chief Engineer, explained that the consumption of water in Bangalore was increasing day by day that the Rising Main was laid more than 30 years ago, that it had badly deteriorated in several places, that attempts to force a larger quantity of water had resulted in a good number of bursts along the main causing much inconvenience to the public, that the maximum quantity of water which could be pumped safely was only 1·6 million gallons per day, whereas the requirements of the City ran up to nearly 2 million gallons, that the Water Works Department were purchasing water from the Civil and Military Station to meet the deficiency, that the question of duplicating the Rising Main had been under consideration for the last 7 or 8 years, that the situation had now become very acute, that it would under no circumstances be safe to postpone the scheme, that the Department was losing Rs. 97-9-0 every day or nearly Rs. 35,000 per annum for electric power paid for but not consumed, that the improvements now under consideration as regards storage works, improvements to the duct etc., were all necessary, but that the most urgent work so far as the City was concerned was the duplication of the Rising Main and that until this was done, there could be no possibility of giving the City the minimum daily quantity required namely 1·75 million gallons.

4. After an exhaustive discussion of the *pros* and *cons* by several Councillors, the following resolution was proposed by Mr. Belur Srinivasaengar and seconded by Mr. S. Venkatarangaiengar:—

"Resolved that this Council recognises the immediate need of duplicating the Rising Main at a cost not exceeding 7 lakhs of rupees as recommended by the Chief Engineer."

5. Mr. G. Siddaveerappa proposed an amendment that the words "at a cost not exceeding 7 lakhs of rupees" be omitted and that the words "between the pumping station and the Combined Jewel Filters" be added after the words "rising main". The amendment would read thus:—

"Resolved that this Council recognises the immediate need of duplicating the Rising Main between the pumping station and the Combined Jewel Filters."

This was seconded by Mr. V. A. Krishnamurthi Mudaliar.

6. At this stage, Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa proposed an adjournment which was seconded by Mr. B. L. Byanna. The proposal for adjournment was lost, as only 5 voted "for" and 14 "against" it. Messrs. S. N. M. Razvi and C. Hayavadana Rao demanded a poll.

The following voted for the adjournment:—Messrs. (1) W. H. Hanumanthappa, (2) B. L. Byanna, (3) S. N. M. Razvi, (4) S. Venkatarangiar, and (5) B. V. Krishniengar.

The following voted against it:—(1) The President, Messrs. (2) Belur Srinivasaiengar, (3) B. N. Vijaya Dova, (4) C. N. Narasinga Rao, (5) V. A. Krishnamurthi Mudaliar, (6) M. C. Chiknanjundappa, (7) C. K. Hutchappa, (8) G. Siddaveerappa, (9) Rev. W. H. Thorp, (10) R. Gopalaswami Iyer, (11) P. M. Basappa, (12) P. Murugesam Pillay, (13) C. Hayavadana Rao and (14) D. Venkataramaiah.

7. Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar proposed further amendment, *viz.*, that the words "between the Pumping Station and the Combined Jewel Filters" in Mr. G. Siddaveerappa's proposition be omitted. This was seconded by Mr. B. L. Byanna. But this amendment was lost as only 4 voted "for" and the rest "against" it.

8. Mr. G. Siddaveerappa's amendment which was eventually accepted by Messrs. Belur Srinivasaiengar and S. Venkatarangiar, the mover and the seconder respectively of the original proposition was put to vote and carried unanimously.

9. At this stage, the Municipal Commissioner observed that he was glad that the Council recognized the urgency of the situation and passed the above resolution, thus saving themselves of being reminded of their responsibility under Sections 54 and 176 of the Municipal Regulation.

10. The President then explained that the next question for consideration was how to raise the amount required for duplicating the said main.

At this stage, the Council agreed to adjourn to Monday the 16th February 1925 at 5 P.M. for further discussion, as it was already 11 A.M.

#### No. 19.

PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON SATURDAY THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1925 AT 8 A.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Present ... 22 | Absent ... 7 | Vacant ... 1

#### Subjects.

1. Consideration of the accompanying Report of the Special Committee appointed on 16th February 1925 to consider the ways and means of financing the scheme of improving the Water-supply, Bangalore City.

PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, APPOINTED TO CONSIDER THE WAYS AND MEANS FOR FINANCING THE SCHEME OF IMPROVING THE WATER SUPPLY, BANGALORE CITY.

Present ... 9 | Absent ... 2

The following resolutions were carried out unanimously:—

(1) Resolved that Government be requested to arrange for a loan not exceeding Rs. 10 lakhs for meeting the cost of the proposed improvements to the Sri Chamarajendra Water Works, Bangalore City.

(2) Resolved further that the loan of Rs. 10 lakhs to be raised by the Government for the Council be made to run for a period of 30 years from the date of raising and that the interest payable on it be fixed at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent per annum in view of the Council agreeing to the proposals of Government in this behalf and meeting the whole of the capital charges now required for the improvements.

(3) Resolved also that Government be requested to allow the Council to adopt the usual mode of repayment of loans of this nature by means of a Sinking Fund, the payment being annual and into a Bank approved by the Government and the Council. The details as to the amount to be paid, the date of payment and the like are to be agreed to between the Government and the Council after the scheme is approved by Government and the approval made known to the Council.

(4) Resolved further that the following new charges A, B, C, and D be levied and the undernoted amendments to the Schedule A of the Schedule of Taxes (Pages 47 to 51 of the Rules and Bye-laws of the Council) to adopted with a view to realise the additional revenue required to meet the cost of the improvements to wit as follows:—

A. *House Connection Charges.*—A flat rate of 8 annas per month as a charge for every house connection irrespective of consumption to be levied and recovered from 1st July 1925, the excess water charges being collected as hitherto.

The approximate revenue expected from this is Rs. 28,000. The minimum house assessment entitling for a house connection be reduced from Rs. 100 to Rs. 60 per annum.

B. *Supply to Government Institutions.*—All Government Institutions shall be charged at a concession rate of 8 annas per 1,000 gallons, for all water drawn by them. This will yield an income of Rs. 9,000.

C. *New Taxes.*—On Coffee Hotels, Messing Hotels, Private Cart-stands, Private Markets, as per revised Bye-laws under consideration.

This is expected to yield an annual revenue of about Rs. 2,000.

D. *New Taxes.*—On Cinemas, Dramatic Performances, Circusses, etc., at the rates proposed in the revised Bye-laws.

This is expected to yield Rs. 1,500.

(1) The rate on item No. 3, under "Tolls on Vehicles and Animals" in the Rules and Bye-laws, be raised from 2 annas to 4 annas.

(2) The rate on item No. 4 from 1 anna to 2 annas.

(3) do 5 from 4 annas to 8 annas.

(4) do 6 from 2 annas to 4 annas.

(5) do 7 from 2 annas to 4 annas.

(6) do 8 from 1 anna to 2 annas.

This is expected to yield an additional revenue of Rs. 15,000 to Rs. 20,000.

To come into force from 1st July 1925.

(ii) *Revised vacant site rate.*—The rate on vacant sites to be raised from 4 annas to 8 annas per 100 square yards.

This is expected to yield an additional revenue of Rs. 1,500.

To come into force from 1st July 1925.

(iii) *Revised water Rate.*—The water-rate to be increased from 3 per cent to 5 per cent on the rental value of the buildings; from 3/5ths to 1 per cent of the building tax in the case of vacant sites; and in regard to buildings used as shops and mandies from 1 per cent to 1 2/5 per cent on their rental value.

This is likely to yield an increased revenue of Rs. 33,500.

To come into force from 1st July 1925.

(5) Resolved also that out of the approximate additional revenue of Rs. 96,000 calculated to yield from the above additional charges and alterations in the schedule of taxes proposed, the sum of Rs. 83,000, required to meet the Sinking fund (Rs. 83,000) and interest charges (Rs. 50,000) be set apart and the balance of Rs. 13,000 be funded separately to meet the cost of renewals and depreciation.

(6) Resolved further that in view of the Council agreeing to meet the whole of the capital charges totalling in the aggregate so large a sum as Rs. 10 lakhs and agreeing to meet its repayment both principal and interest from its own slender and inexpanding resources, especially, at a time when the conditions of trade are unfavourable and its own finances none too strong, Government be most earnestly and respectfully requested to make a free contribution of one-fourth of the proposed loan of Rs. 10 lakhs, especially as the City is a metropolitan one and is the administrative capital of the State attracting to itself a large number of people throughout the year.

(7) Resolved also that Government be requested to arrange for the loan proposed above at as early a date as may be possible so that the improvements may be completed without avoidable delay.

(8) Resolved also that in view of the letter of the Chief Engineer to the Government of Mysore No. R. 3824, dated 16th October 1923, enclosing his estimates for duplication of the rising main and urging the carrying out of this item of work as a matter of extreme necessity, Government requested to direct this part of the work being put in hand at once.

(9) Resolved further that the Government be requested to hand over the entire works to the Council after completing in full the improvements so that the control over the same may vest entirely in the Council from 1st July 1926.

MOHAMMED ABBAS KHAN, (President),  
M. G. KRISHNASAMI RAO,  
C. HAYAVADANA RAO,  
C. N. NARASINGA RAO,  
P. SUBBARAMA CHETTY,  
S. VENKATARAMAIAENGAR,  
B. L. BYANNA.

20-2-1925.

I. As regards resolution No. (1) of the Committee, Mr. M. Ramachandra Rao Scindia, proposed an amendment that the words "Rs. 5 lakhs" be substituted for "Rs. 10 lakhs". The President ruled the amendment out of order.

Mr. J. R. Isaac proposed that the words "less Government grant" be inserted after the words "Rs. 10 lakhs". This was seconded by Mr. V. A. Krishnamurti Mudaliar and was carried unanimously.

II. Resolved unanimously that the words "less Government grant" be inserted after the words "Rs. 10 lakhs" and the words "in view of the Council agreeing, etc., the improvements" be omitted in Resolution No. 2 of the Committee.

III. Resolution No. 3 of the Committee was approved unanimously.

IV. As regards resolution No. 6 of the Committee *re* the contribution from Government, Mr. S. N. M. Razvi proposed and Mr. S. N. Seetharama Rao, seconded an amendment that the word "one-half" be substituted for "one-fourth".

Mr. J. R. Isaac proposed a further amendment that the word "one-third" be substituted for "one-fourth". This was seconded by Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar.

After some discussion, Messrs S. N. M. Razvi and S. N. Seetharama Rao the mover and the seconder of the first amendment accepted the seconded amendment, which was put to vote and carried, 19 voting "for" and 2 "against".

Messrs G. Paramasiviah and Belur Srinivasaiengar demanded a poll.

The following voted "for" the proposition :—

(1) The President, (2) Mr. S. N. Seetharama Rao, (3) Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar, (4) Mr. B. N. Vijaya Deva, (5) Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao, (6) Mr. P. Subbaramachetty, (7) Mr. G. Muniyappa, (8) Mr. C. K. Huchappa, (9) Mr. G. Siddaveerappa, (10) Mr. V. A. Krishnamurthi Mudaliar, (11) Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer, (12) Mr. J. R. Isaac, (13) Mr. B. Abdur Rahmon, (14) Mr. S. N. M. Razvi, (15) Mr. P. M. Basappa, (16) Mr. G. Paramasiviah, (17) Mr. S. Venkatarangaiengar, (18) Mr. D. Venkataramaiah and (19) Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao.

The following voted against the proposition :—

(1) Mr. B. L. Byanna, (2) Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar.

V. As regards resolution No. 4 of the Committee regarding the ways and means for meeting the Sinking Fund charges, etc., the following resolutions were passed :—

A. *House connection charges*.—Mr. C. Paramasiviah proposed and Mr. S. Venkatarangaiengar seconded that "a flat rate of 4 annas per month be levied and recovered from 1st July 1925, as a charge for every house connection already given and to be given, the excess water charges being also collected, provided that the existing minimum house assessment fixed for a house connection be abolished, other conditions remaining the same.

Mr. B. L. Byanna proposed an amendment that the flat rate of 4 annas be levied from 1st July 1926. The amendment was lost for want of a seconder.

The original proposition was put to vote and carried, 12 voting "for" and 5 "against".

*Excess water charges*.—As regards water used in excess of the free allowance, Mr. G. Paramasiviah proposed that the existing rate be raised from 12 annas to Rs. 1-8-0 from 1st July 1925, for every 1,000 gallons. This was seconded by Mr. G. Siddaveerappa.

Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao, proposed an amendment that it be raised from 12 annas to Re. 1. This was seconded by Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar.

This amendment was lost as 8 voted "for" and 9 "against" it.

The original proposition of Mr. G. Paramasiviah for doubling the existing excess water charges was then put to vote and was also lost, as 8 voted "for" and 9 "against" it.

Messrs B. L. Byanna and G. Paramasiviah demanded a poll. The following 8 voted "for" the proposition :—

(1) Mr. G. Paramasiviah, (2) Mr. B. L. Byanna, (3) Mr. P. Subbarama Chetty, (4) Mr. G. Muniyappa, (5) Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar, (6) Mr. B. Abdur Rahmon, (7) Mr. G. Siddaveerappa, and (8) Mr. S. N. M. Razvi.

The following 9 voted "against":—(1) Mr. S. N. Seetharama Rao, (2) Mr. Belur Srinivasaiengar, (3) Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao, (4) Mr. P. M. Basappa, (5) Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer, (6) Mr. V. A. Krishnamurthi Mudaliar, (7) Mr. S. Venkatarangaiengar, (8) Mr. D. Venkataramaiah and (9) Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao.

Further consideration of the subject was adjourned to Saturday the 7th March 1925 at 8 A.M.

MOHAMMED ABBAS KHAN,  
President.

#### HASSAN DISTRICT.

*Notification dated Camp Sravanabelagola, 11th March 1925.*

Under the provisions of the Mysore Local Boards and Village Panchayet Regulation and the Rules framed thereunder, Mr. Srinivasaiengar, Shanbhog of Bittanahalli has been declared elected as Chairman of the Heragu Village Panchayet, Hassan Taluk, during the present term of its reconstitution.

*Notification dated 6th March 1925.*

Under Section 49 (2) (b) of the Mysore Local Board and Village Panchayets Regulation the Patel and the Shanbhog of the Kattaya village, have been nominated as members of the Kattaya Village Panchayet, Hassan Taluk, during the term of its present reconstitution, as sanctioned in G. O. No. L. 6332—L. B. 9-24-40, dated 26th February 1925.

R. NANASWAMI RAO,  
Deputy Commissioner.